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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action, mailed January 11, 2005, regarding the above-mentioned patent application. This response is believed to be timely submitted within the three-month shortened statutory period. No fee is believed to be required in connection with the filing of this response; however, should any other fees be due, Applicant hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge such fees to the Kagan Binder Deposit Account No. 50-1775 and thereafter notify us of the same.

Reconsideration and allowance of the claims, in view of the following claim amendments and remarks, are respectfully requested.

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